CARBONDALE DEPARTMENT

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REPUBLICANS NOMINATED HARMONY CHARACTERIZES THE

PROCEEDINGS.

At the Gathering at Burke's Hall Last Evening, Nearly All Selections Were Made Unanimously. Chairman Humphrey Presides. List of Candidates Nominated.

The Republican city convention was held last evening in Burke's hall, on Sixth avenue, and the proceedings went through as quietly and harmoniously as was expected, nearly every nomination being made unanimously. There were one or two minor interruptions to the quiet proceedings, but they did not disturb the deliberations of the convention in the slightest, as the interrupters subsided immediately when they were told they were out of order. The convention lasted just forty minutes from the time of the chairman's rapping for order until the meeting was adjourned. Enthusiasm was freely displayed when the nomiantions were appounced.

At 8.20 Duane W. Humphrey, chairman of the city committee, called the convention to order. City Clerk N. L. Moon was temporary secretary. The first business done was to call the districts in rotation and accept the credentials of the delegates. As the roll was called each delegate responded. All went smoothly until the Fourth ward was reached, when in the First and Second districts contesting delegations appeared. These were the only contests.

Chairman Humphrey appointed R. D. Stuart, J. B. Shannon and J. J. Jones as a committee on contested seats, and they took the credentials of the disputing delegates. After a short deliberation they decided that Andrew G. Nicol, of the First district, Fourth ward, be seated, instead of Anthony Llewellyn, and in the Second district, Fourth ward, they gave the seat to Frank Francy in place of P. J. Mc-

Then Chairman Humphrey called for nominations for permanent chairman. Frank Smith and A. D. Wyllie were named, but both gentlemen declined, and R. D. Stuart was nominated and unanimously elected. For temporary secretary Norman J. Gelder and Fred Thomas were named and a standing vote taken, Thomas being elected to the position by a vote of 18 to 15.

Chairman Stuart advised the delegates getting together from the various wards and considering nominations for school directors, common councilmen, aldermen and poor directors, where those officers were to be nominated. The first discussion was over school directors, and as the delegates got into bunches it looked as if sevs were in session, with an earnest leader or teacher explaining some obtuse point. A background of interested spectators were in the rear of the benches se aside for the delegates. There were about three spectators to each dele-

In a few minutes the chairman announced that the delegates were ready to report on the nominations for school directors. These were the nomina

For School Director, one year, First Fifth and Sixth wards-Gustave H Swigert.

For School Director, three years same wards-Robert M. Vannan. For School Director, three years Third and Fourthwards-Thomas Boy-

Messes, Vannan and Boylan were nominated unanimously. Mr. Swigert had an opponent in G. B. Van Gorder the received 8 votes to Mr. Swigert's

The nominations for councilmen, alderman and Poor directors were next in order, and the chairman advised the same course as before. Again heads were bowed together and in a shorter time than previously the delegates announced their readiness to proeed. The following nominations were declared, amid much applause

First ward-Common council, Earl M. Peck and Fred Thompson; poor director, James McMillan.

Third ward-Common council, Charles A. Kass and Robert Whitfield. Fourth ward-Poor director, James

Fifth ward-Common councilmen. Ervin H. Stone and William H. Masers; alderman, Loring I. Bunnell.

When the nominations were declared a list of the district officers were read. with the exception of the Second district of the Sixth ward, which sent no lelegation. The convention then adiourned.

Following is the complete list of the delegates seated First ward-First district, Frank

Smith, H. B. Briggs, J. B. Shannon, M. H. Tappan, R. McMillan, T. Morgan. Third district, Felice Paone, Luigi Mor-

Second ward-First district, Isaac Rogers, William B. Evans. Second district, J. Norman Gelder, William Barber. Third district, Anthony Third ward-First district, W. D.

Evans, W. B. Geary. Second district, Fred Thomas, John Price, Thomas Connell; Fourth district, J. D. Schermerhorn, George S. Seidler, William

Fourth ward-First district, Andrew G. Nicol. Second district, Frank Fra-Third district, John Killeen. Fifth ward-First district, A. D Wyllie, C. Alexander, E. H. Stone, W. H. Masters, R. D. Stuart; Second dis-

trict, Frank Clune. Sixth ward-First district, Harry Williams, J. J. Delevan, Robert Beard, James Morgan.

Theatrical.

Tonight-"A Woman's Redemption." Matinee tomorrow-"A Romance of Corveen." Tomorrow night-"Human Wolves of New York.

The Germania's Ball. The Germania Singing society's ball last evening was as great a success as had been anticipated. Many dancers

thronged the handsomely decorated rooms and a number of pretty, gro-tesque and comical costumes were worn by the maskers. At 12 o'clock all unmasked and many were the exclamations of surprise at the identity of unsuspected wearers of costumes, Profs, Collins and Firth had charge of the music and dancing. The enjoy-ment was kept up until 3 o'clock this

CORNELL-HAWKINS.

Two Young Persons of This City United at Baptist Parsonage.

Henry Cornell, of Laurel street, and Miss Edith Hawkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Job Hawkins, of Sand street, were quietly married at the parsonage of the Berean Baptist church by the Rev. Dr. Whalen, on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. A few friends accompanied them and witnessed the cere-

The bride was attired in a gown of blue brocaded silk, trimmed with duchesse face and ribbons. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Cornell drove o the residence of the bride's parents, where the family of each had a sup-

The bridegroom has for several years been a trusted and esteemed employe of ex-Mayor Hendrick. The bride is well known as one of the most active workers in the Berean Baptist church and Sunday school and as an officer of the city's social and fraternal owanizations. They will make their futur nome in this city.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Jennie Stanton Potts.

Mrs. Jennie Stanton Potts, of Way mart, died at the Emergency hospital in this city yesterday morning, where she underwent an operation on Jan. 6. The body was taken in charge by Undertaker J. H. Stephenson, of Waymart, who came to this city and pre-pared it for burial at the Purple funeral parlors. It was taken to her late home early in the afternoon.

Mrs. Potts was a native of Waymart and was the daughter of F. H. Stanton. She was 27 years of age. She was an active member of the Presbyterian church of Waymart and one of its foremost workers. She is survived by a son, aged 6, and a daughter, aged 4: two sisters, Mrs. William Matthews, of Clinton, and Miss Helen Stanton, of Waymart; her father and one brother, Professor Edgar Stanton, professor of mathematics and political economy in the State College of Iowa. Contractor | and Edward, who is a member of the William Edgett, of this city, is her cousin. The funeral will probably be held tomorrow at Waymart.

The Pool Tournament.

The fourth night's play in the pool tourney being held at the Carbondale Cycle club took place last night. In the afternoon one game was played, W. Smith (fourth class) being defeated by C. Humphrey (third class). In the evening Derby (third class) beat Rennie (third class), and Briggs (third men in Simpson about two months days there, class) defeated Rutherford (fourth ago and was robbed of all his vaiclass). Following is standing to date:

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	Manners	0
	Day	0
	Singer	0
	Briggs	1
	James	0
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	Rennie3	1
	Strickland	- 0
	Gilhoolil	2
	MacMillan4	3
2	Crane	- 2
t	Ditchburn	0
٠	Rutherford4	0
8	Moon	0
	W. Smith	0
•	Cilfford	1
t	Mitchell4	1

Due Here on Feb. 1.

A delicious morsel in the musical farce, "A Wise Woman," is the introduction of a quaintly melodious southern "crooning" song and lullaby, done by Miss Marie Lamour. The music of this number is said to be extremely catchy and easy to remember, and so opular does it immediately become that it is whistled and hummed by all the small boys and by many of the big ones wherever the play is produced,

A New Location.

Edwards Brothers, the butchers, will soon move from their present quarters to the Rivenburg market on Salem avenue. They have secured control of the latter place, and their increased business demands a larger establish-

Meetings Tonight.

Junior Order United American Mechanics

Lackawanna encampment, No. 16. Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Special Meetings.

A special meeting of Local No. 877 W., was held last evening, at which several matters of importance were discussed and action taken.

Will Be Home Tonight. Dr. W. W. Fletcher, the oculist, who

has been in New York on business since Monday, is expected to arrive home this evening.

Two Girls Born.

Twin daughters were born on Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quin-

lan. One died about half an hour af-

ter birth. The Nealon building on South Main

street is undergoing extensive repairs.

Dr.Bull's COUGH SYRUP Since the accident he has been help-IS SURE

WILLIAM SCOTT KILLED.

Meets Death in Binghamton by Falling from a Train.

William Scott, formerly of this city, was killed last night near Binghamton. He was a brakeman on the Erie railroad, his run being from Binghamten to this city, his home being in Susquehanna. John Scott, his brother, mine foreman at Coalbrook breaker, went to Susquehanna yesterday afternoon to investigate, no details of the accident having come here:

The following is taken from yesterday morning's Binghamton Republican and is supposed to be in regard to Mr. Scott's death:

"An unknown man was crushed and instantly killed by an extra freight at the Chenango street crossing of the Eric about 2 o'clock this morning. He was mangled beyond recognition.

"Shortly after I o'clock he came into the Eric waiting room and engaged in conversation with a young man who was, walting for Erie passenger train No. 10, which leaves at about 1.40 for the east.

"He said that he was bound for Susquehanna and asked the man to awaken him when the train started. The young man forgot to do it, and not until after the passenger train had departed did he wake up.

"The extra freight was just passing through at the time and he rushed out the door, caught the step and handle and crawled up to the top. That is the last that was seen of him until screams were heard by an old gentleman who was waiting for the train to pass. He saw the man fall just as he passed under the viaduct. He was dragged four hundred feet by the axles of the wheels.

"He told somebody at the depot that he was a brakeman and lived at Susquehanna. He was medium height, of stout build, wore a light sandy moustache, and had no overcoat on him. His remains were taken to Cornell's undertaking rooms,"

Mr. Scott was born thirty-one years ago in this city and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott. He resided here continuously until five years ago, when he went to Susquebanna. He has been in the employ of the Eric company as brakeman for several years and was known as a cautious and capable employe. was a young man of excellent habits and was a prominent member of the Railroad Trainmen Brotherhood. He is survived by three brothers, John and Patrick, of Brooklyn street,

volunteer infantry, now stationed in the Philippines; also by four sisters, Mrs. Michael Tighe. Mrs. James Surdoval, Mrs. Michael Gallagher and Mrs. George Mannion, all of this city. He was unmarried. The remains will be brought to this city for interment. The funeral will

be announced later.

Donald Young was waylaid by three complete uables. The only description he could give of them was that they were traveling negro musicians, as shortly before the hold-up he had seen them in a bar room playing. Since then he has kept his eyes open for them, but to no avail, until this week He found three darkies playing in a central city saloon and imemdiately had a warrant sworn out for their arrest. The darkies were taken before Alderman J. R. Delevan, but there not being sufficient evidence to incriminate them, they were acquitted.

Will Remove Next Week.

The Salem avenue store of D. W. Humphrey, which was badly damaged by fire and water a few days before Christmas, will soon be in readiness to be re-occupied. A force of carpenters and mechanics have been hard at work for the past fortnight rebuilding the interior. A number of improvements have been made, notably in the office which will add greatly to the appearance of the store. Mr. Humphrey expects to be back in his old location by Wednesday morning, moving between darkness and daylight.

High School Entertainment.

The Literary society of the Carbondale High school will give one of its enjoyable entertainments this evening in the auditorium of the Central school building. Pollowing is the programme that will be given: Piano solo, Miss Graham; recitation, W. McHale; vocal duet, Messrs. Murphy and Brown: reading, Miss Dolph; piana solo, Miss Kirby; essay, R. Meaker; vocal solo, Miss Morgan: reading, J. Loftus; piano solo, Miss Graham.

Baptist Supper Tonight.

The annual supper of the Berean Eaptist church will take place in the church parlors this evening from 5.30 to 8.30 o'clock. An appetizing menu will be served and a social feast, as well as a literal one, will be enjoyed by the participants. The annual reception on Wednesday evening was such a success that the ladies are anticipating a like result for their supper.

Michael Moran Comfortable.

Michael Moran, who received such errible injuries by being hurt by a fall of mine props on Wednesday afternoon, was quite comfortable last evening at the Emergency hospital, or as much as a man can be who has just had an arm amputated and is a mass of bruises from his head to his feet. He is now out of danger unless com-

A Fractured Arm.

The 2-year-old daughter of Patrol nan and Mrs. Patrick Carden, Isabelle, while climbing on a chair lost her balance and toppled over, striking on the floor with her arm under her The limb was fractured. The little girl s now resting comfortably and it is expected that she will soon be all right

Comes Here for Treatment.

Edward Owens, of Seeleyville, who has his back broken in a runaway accident about three Imonths ago, is ow at the Carbondale hospital for treatment by the surgical staff there.

A New Position. Gillen, who had his foot am-

putated as the result of an accident in Van Bergen & Co.'s foundry some time ago, has been discharged from the Emergency hospital and has accepted a position with John J. Simp-

The Passing Throng.

James Toolan, of Brooklyn street, is ill with typhoid fever. William Gillespie, of Scranton, was visitor in town today. Mrs. John Lynch, of Seventh avenue, s suffering from the grip.

Miss J. D. Nealon, of South Main
street, is ill with the grip.

Miss Gertrude Smith, of Belmont

treet, is quite seriously ill. Miss Laura Langan, of Hawley, ts visiting friends in this city.

Arthur Thomas has accepted a posiion in the Hotel Anthracite.

Miss Gertrude Gallagher is visiting Miss Mary Dougher, of Olyphant. Mrs. Frank Couch spent Wednesday in Uniondale, visiting her father. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burke have returned home from their wedding

Miss Kemmerer, of Scranton, is visiting Mrs. Edwin A. Morgan, on Park

John J. Brown, of the Park Clothing House, is ill at his home on Eaton street. Miss Nora Nealon, of Seventh ave-

nue, spent Wednesday in Wilkes-Barre Rev. M. E. Loftus, of Scranton, was a caller at the parochial recidence yesterday.

William F. Loftus is confined to his louse on Sand street by an attack of influenza. Mrs. Esther Keating and daughter, May of Pittston called on friends here

Master Edwin Purple has been serously ill with the croup, but is now much better. Miss Eleanor Mannering, of Bing-

hamton, is spending a few days with town relatives. P. A. Duffy, of the firm of Lakin & Duffy, is home from the City of Brotherly Love. J. F. Sullivan, the Salem avenue

plumber, is at work again after sevral days' illness. Master Edgar Reese and sister, Anna, of Washington street, are quite

ill with the grip. Thomas Higgins, of the Wall Street hotel, is confined to his home on Pike treet with the grlp.
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Watt and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Scurry spent yester-

day with Scranton friends. Julius Moses, of the Star clothing louse, is confined to his room at the Hotel Harrison by Illness. Edward McGouty, of Laurel street, has returned to Scranton, after spend-

ing a few days with his parents. Mrs. Ed. Isger, Mrs. William Thom as and Mrs. James Isger made a trip together to Scranton on Wednesday. Michael McGarry left yesterday for Toronto, Canada, where he will take up a commercial course in St. Mich-

Daniel Foley and his daughter, Agnes. of Mahoney Plane, have returned home, after a visit with D. J. Foley, of North Church street. Misses Jennie Bennett, of Uniondale, Lena Bidwell and Mabel Blickens, of

Dunmore, are guests of Miss Isabelle Maxwell, of Park street. Gavin Craik, of Birkett street, left vesterday for Portland, Ore., where he will join his brother, Andrew, a suc-

cessful business man there. Miss Catherine Sullivan, of Forty Fort, has returned home after a short office. visit here. Miss Marcella White accompanied her and will spend several

street, is afflicted with the grip. He is one of the brightest of The Trib- director-Harry Simpson, W. B. Steune's carriers, and his customers will miss his calls.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

Frank Jeffry and Miss Mary Ann Langman, two well-known Jermyn young people, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Langman, of Fourth street, on Wednesday The ceremony was perevening. formed by Rev. Thomas Cook, pastor of the Primitive Methodist church, and was witnessed by the friends of

Rushbrook lodge of Odd Fellows last evening conferred the second degree upon a candidate.

The employes of the Ontario and Western railroad were paid yesterday. Dr. C. P. Manley, of Scranton was caller in town yesterday. Miss Jennie Greenslade. street, attended the Cornell-Hawkins wedding at Carbondale Wednesday

evening. Five members of Councilman Moore's family are ill with grip. John J. Farrell, of Main street, is

ill with an attack of grip. Mrs. Burt Parks, of Third street. was a Scranton visitor yesterday. Mrs. B. Sullivan and Miss Kate Cain, of Second street, attended the McGuinness-Cuff nuptials at Scranton yesterday.

Mrs. La Verne Samson, of Archbald, and Mrs. Lee Horton, of White's Valley, were Jermyn callers last even-

Rev. M. D. Fuller will take part in the Central district Epworth League iting Mr. George Shay, of Main convention, which will be held in the Methodist church at Peckville, Jan. 18 and 19.

Born-Yesterday to Mr. and iMrs. Frank Depew, of Third street, a daughter. Mrs. Jennie Baker, of South Main treet, has been seriously ill for the past week.

OLYPHANT.

The primaries of the Fourth ward will be held at the usual place next Tuesday from 4 until 7 o'clock. Vigiance committee, Gwilym Jenkins and George Williams, jr. Don't miss the exhibition of Edison's wonderful moving pictures at the Welsh Baptist church tonight and to-

morrow night. Tickets, ten, twenty

and twenty-five cents, for sale at Watkins' drug store. Miss Mary Bannon and James Casey. of Dunmore street, were united in marriage in St. Patrick's church on Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock by Rev. P. J. Murphy, the pastor. The bride was attended by Miss Nellie Cavanaugh and Michael Bannon was

best man. Mr. and Mrs. Casey will reside on Dunmore street. The members of the Olyphant Conclave of Heptasophs will give an entertainment in Edwards' hall, Thursday evening, January 31. At the conclusion of the programme the members and their friends will be served with a turkey supper in the social room of the Blakely Baptist church.

J. H. Mahon returned yesterday from Philadelphia. At the closing session of the United Mine Workers at Edwardsville, Wednesday, Olyphant was selected as the JONAS LONG'S SONS.

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OUR GREAT ONE HOUR FRIDAY AFTERNOON SALES

Are on the boards for today. The programme for one hundred and eighty minutes is about the liveliest ever prepared by us. The day is marked by extraordinary offerings; they border on the unusual, the exceptional. The Baseme it Sale alone is worth coming many miles to attend. The White Sale bargains all day, of course. The Hourly Sales begin at two o'clock, and last through until five.

At 2 O'clock:

	WHITE SOUP PLATES, worth 75c dozen, at	30
	CLOTHES PINS, best wood, at	50
	Oll. CANS, gallon size, worth 30c, at	18c
	LAUNDRY SOAP, full 103/4 ounce bars, 14 fer	25C
	WHITE PORCELAIN PLATTERS at Half Price.	1
3	O'clock:	
	FRENCH FLANNEL, all colors, at	91/2
	WHITE GOODS, fine patterns,, worth 15c, at	gc
	EMBROIDERIES, rich, worth 20c yard, at	130
	DRESS SKIRTINGS. Fine Frieze, 30 inch. at	250

Kid Gloves, fine quality for ladies, at..... 55c LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS, cheap at \$1.00, to go at....................... 58c At 4 O'clock:

place for holding the next convention, promises to be an interesting affair, as which will occur in April. Samuel Levy, of New York, is the

guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shultz, of Lackawanna street. Joseph Farrell, of Jermyn, was a aller in town yesterday. A. J. Cawley and T. F. Loftus, of

Archbald, spent last evening with riends at this place. Democratic primaries will be held in he First and Third wards on Saturday, between the hours of 4 and 7.

PECKVILLE.

The funeral of the late Mrs. William H. Vandervort was held yester-day afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The services were held at the Methodist Episcopal church. Rev. S. C. Simpkins, of Hawley, assisted by Rev. F. Gendall, officiated. The order of the Eastern Star, of which deceased was a member, had charge of the burial

Miss Bertha Reynolds has resigned her position as clerk at the post-

The following aspirants for office have registered with Calrman Pickering, of the Third ward vigilance committee: Councilman-N. H. Johnson, W. T. Griffiths, A. J. Hazen, School vens. Justice of the peace-S. W. Arnold. Auditor-G. B. Reed. Assessor -H. E. Maines. Constable-Leonard Curtis, William E. Pollard. Judge of election-L. B. Thompson. Inspector of election-A. W. Pentecost, J. R. Bell. The Third ward primaries will be held Saturday Jan. 19, at the Bor-

ough building. Mrs. Theodore White, of Scranton, spent yesterday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ketchum, of Depot street.

At the Baptist parsonage last Wedesdav evening, Milton J. Ketcham and Miss Hallie Ollendick were united in marriage by Rev. J. S. Thomas. The bride and groom were attended by the bride's sister, Miss Lizzie Ollendick, and by Mr. Day. The bride is an estimable young lady of Archbald and the groom is a highly respected young man of Peckville. That they may enjoy all happiness and

prosperity is the wish of their many friends. The social of class No. 13, of the Baptist Sunday school, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff. Warren, was a

sucess. The following is the programme for this evening's session of the Epworth league convention, to be held in the Methodist Episcopal church: Song and prayer service led by Rev. O. A. Williams; music by choir: "What Help Can Chapters Render in Revival Work," D. Stanley Evans; music by choir; address, "The Bible in Reference to the Problems of the Hour," Rev. M. D. Fuller; altar and consecration service.

Mr. David Shay, of Hartford, is visstreet.

TAYLOR.

Thomas Thorburn, general secretary of the Young Men's Christian association of Northeastern Pennsylvania, will address the members of the Young Men's Christian association of this towns at the rooms on South Main street this evening.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Weish Congregational church will conduct a grand social on pay night in the church basement. Cake, faggots and oysters will be served for the small sum of 10 cents. The following unclaimed letters re-

main at the Taylor postoffice for the period of Jan. 16. Persons calling for the same will please say advertised and give date of list: Mrs. M. Howells, Edward Isaac, Edith Lavis, Moys, John Thomas, William Richards, P. E. Wickizer, Miss Mattle Wickizer. Foreign-James Yanci, Iszay Sykiz, Antoni Polenski, Nawzynie Kotoziyczk, Kampa Bajak. John W. Reese, postmaster.

The members of the Century Hose company, No. 2, are working zeaolusly for their fair, which will be held in Weber's rink Easter week. The William Tell Rifle club elected

officers for the ensuing term at a reeent meeting at their headquarters in Weisenfluh's hall. The officers are as follows: President, Arnold Moore; vice-president, John Shields; secre-John Reider; treasurer, Alex. tary. Shields: instructor, Ulrich Horger; captain, H. V. Weisenfluh, The following committee was appointed to ten cents each evening. purchase guns and medals for the coming match: H. V. Weisenfluh, Arnold

there are eight prizes in cash and medals. The conditions are as follows: Twenty-two calibre rifle, any weight; distance, seventy-five feet one hundred

inch measure; ten shots in a target. Rev. James Waiker, of the Primitive Methodist church, of the Archbald, united in marriage Miss Elizabeth Knott and Stephen Fraley, both popular young people of that place, on Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Knott, while Mr. Harry Barrier acted as best man. After the wedding ceremony congratulations were tendered and a wedding supper served.

Invincible commandery, No. 252, Knights of Malta, will meet in regular session this evening. J. T. Weber, of New Jersey, is visit-

ing relatives in this town,

Extensive preparations are being made by the members of the Taylor Silver Cornet band for their concert which will be held next Wednesday evening in Weber's rink. An elabor-ate programme has been arranged. The Young Men's Literary society of the Church of the Immaculate Conception will meet this evening, when the

be transacted. DALTON.

Mr. Zeller, of Pottsville, spent Sunday with his son, Dr. C. A. Zeller. Mrs. H. D. Swartz has been confined to her home for the past two or three weeks with grip.

Mrs. R. M. Richards is spending this veek at Scranton. The senior class of the high school is preparing an entertainment to be given some time next month in the

The record of deportment during the past month at the High school, shows Ernest R. Whitman at the head of the list, with a mark of 98 per cent. Miss Hope Frear, of Lake Winola, stands second, with a mark of 97 per cent. Examinations are in progress at the High school this week. The seniors

Baptist church.

all is, who will capture the gold and silver scholarship medals offered by the principal. Samuel Stanlick has been suffering with an attack of grip. Special meetings have been in pro-

are working hard and the wonder of

week, and they have been well at-Services at the Methodist church will be held on Sunday at the usual hours. At the Baptist church Sunday morning the pastor will preach upon Conditions of Receiving Divine Blessings," and in the evening the theme of the discourse will be "How May We Know That the Bible Is a

gress in the Methodist church this

The public school at Glenburn, under the principalship of Miss Lena Northup, will give an entertainment in the school building this evening. Many of the farmers about this vicinity are finding it difficult to dispose of their milk since the closing of

and La Plume Harrison Colvin, who was seriously til a short time ago, has recovered sufficiently to be out again. E. G. Von Storch has been quite ili

the condensories at Clark's Summit

the past few days. All mothers are invited to attend the mothers' meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance union at home of Mrs. O. P. Stoll, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A lunch will be served and a social time will be en-

Rev. James Putnam, D. D., of New York, will deliver his three wellknown stereopticon lectures in the Baptist church on the evenings of Jan. 29, 30, 31. The subjects of the lectures are as follows: "The Rome of the Caesars and the Rome of the Pope," "Paris, the Queen City of the World," and "The Land of the Pharoahs." The admission will be

The supper served on Wednesday value of your books, have them pub-evening at the home of Mrs. M. B. lished unheralded. You may then Moore and John Horger. The contest Sherman, by herself and two daugh- profit by their reception.

BUY THE CENUINE SYRUP OF FIGS

IN NOTE THE NAME. ters, Mrs. E. G. Von Storch and Mrs. Samuel Stanlick, was largely attended and proved a success finan-

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

cially. A pleasant time was spent

PRICEBURG. The barbers of Priceburg will close heir shops after Feb. 1 at 8 o'clock.

To Cure the Grip in Two Days. axative Bromo-Quinine removes the cause. **

WHITNEY'S GREAT WORK. How He Reconstructed the Surface Rallways of New York.

orge L. Fielder in Ainslee's. William C. Whitney's public reputapresence of every member is urgently tion is most closely related to his conrequested, as important business will of the street rail York. When he returned to New York in 1886 the street railways of the metropolis were perhaps the most unprogressive in the United States. As soon as he took hold of the Broadway surface road he replaced the ancient, ramshackle cars with cars of new and atmost elegant design. He recognized from the beginning the common sense principle that so many corporations and directors of corporations ignore. which is, that the better the service

given to the public the heavier the

dividends paid on investment But he did not stop here. He began to investigate the cable system of surface roads in other cities. He found that while it cost 18 and 98-100 cents yer car mile to run horse cars, cable oads cost only 17 and 76-100 cents. He had no sooner reached this decision than he introduced cable traction. But he went right on investigating, for the impulse of Whitney is always to have an eye on the tomorrow of things. His cable cars were larger and of costller fittings than any other in the country. Realizing that the only chance many people have to read newspapers is while they are in the cars, he put in the Fintsch system of lighting, which was as much of an improvement on the oil lamp as the lamp was on the originot tallow dip. Then he inaugurated the transfer system by which a passenger can ride all around New York for 5 cents. Railway people laughed at him and made all kinds of prophecles about the folly of the innovation. But the transfer system proved to be the right thing and has since been

adopted by other lines. Last year the Metropolitan Railway took in ninety-nine million transfers. His next discovery was that while his cable traction cost 17 and 76-100 cents per car mile, election traction would cost only 13 and 16-100 cents per car mile. Then he began to change the entire system to electric traction. The wisdom of Whitney's progressive methods is evidenced in the steady increase of the net earnings of the surface roads as compared with the declining receipts of the elevated railreads over a period of years.

TO LITERARY WORKERS. Julian Hawthorne Gives Them Some Fatherly Advice.

Prom Success. The idea that good literary work in done by the talented without great labor-in preparation, at least-has been exploded time and again. Every one of our great authors has succeeded only after severe application, wrought in a spirit of love with the most rigid self-criticism, Without the real itch for writing, and the courage and patience for criticism, one should never undertake this career.

To acquire a good style, read the Rible and classic literature, study character, and learn to express youraelf clearly; but beware of too much facility, a serious fault. You can judge of your own writing only after a lapse of time. After your fervor has cooled, you may be able to sub-ject it to impartial criticism. That which you are reasonably sure is passing fair, is only that which you are surprised to see was created by your pen. If you would really learn the

Revelation from God." John W. Dershimer has been confined to his home this week with ill-Mrs. Henry M. Ives will leave on Monday evening for an extended sojourn in Southern California. She will be accompanied by Miss Jessie Hall, of Glenburn. Mr. Ives and daughter will go to Wyoming to-stay during Mrs. Ives' absence. Mrs. Robert R. Thompson is spending a few days with her parents at Mt. Zion.